IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kany, et al.

Title: CLEANING AND CORROSION INHIBITION SYSTEM

AND COMPOSITION FOR SURFACES OF ALUMINUM OR COLORED METALS AND ALLOYS THEREOF

UNDER ALKALINE CONDITIONS

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Dear Examiner Boyer:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated January 27, 2010, concerning the above-referenced patent application, making April 27, 2010, three months from the mailing date. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: